

The Daily Courant.

Monday, January 23. 1721.

New-York, November 27.

THE Assembly of this Province having been called together by his Excellency Governour Burnet's Proclamation of the 29th of September, opened their Session on the 13th of last Month.

On the 13th Instant, they passed an Act for a Supply to be granted to His Majesty, for supporting his Government in the Province of New-York, to be continued for five Years, viz. from the 1st of July 1721, to the 1st of July, 1726. On the 19th Instant, his Excellency gave his Assent to that Act, and also to these following,

An Act for continuing an Act of General Assembly, entituled, An Act for the better settling the Militia of this Province, and making it more useful for the Security and Defence thereof.

An Act for continuing an Act of General Assembly, entituled, An Act for the further laying out, regulating, and better clearing publick Highways throughout this Colony.

An Act appointing the several Persons therein named and appointed, to let to Farm the Excise of Strong Liquors, in the several Cities and Counties within this Province.

An Act appointing and directing the Value that Lyon-Dollars shall pass current for within this Province.

An Act to empower the Justices of the Peace in the County of West-Chester, to assign the Place whereon to build a Court-House and Goal for that County.

An Act for reviving an Act of General Assembly, entituled, An Act for mending and keeping in Repair the Post-Road from New-York to King's-Bridge.

An Act for prohibiting all Persons but Robert Lettice Hooper and his Assigns, to Refine Sugar during the Term therein mentioned.

An Act for the Encouragement of the Indian Trade, and rendering it more beneficial to the Inhabitants of this Province, and for prohibiting the selling of Indian Goods to the French.

An Act for the continuing the currency of Bills of Credit to the Value of Six Thousand Ounces of Plate, for and during the Term therein mentioned.

An Act to enable Gerret van Horne, and his Son Cornelius van Horne, to sell and dispose of a certain House and Ground, situate, lying and being in the City of New-York.

An Act to lay a Duty of two Pounds on every Hundred Pounds Value prime Cost, of all European Goods imported into this Colony.

An Act for continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for the Encouragement of Whaling.

An Act for the further continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for laying a Duty on Goods sold by Auction, Vendue, or Outcry and rendering the same more effectual.

After which his Excellency was pleased to say, *Gentlemen.*

THE cheerfulness you have shewn in providing for a Support of Government, justly recommends you to His Majesty's Favour, which I shall not fail to represent.

Your Care of the Frontier, and to prevent a Trade so dangerous to the Safety of the Province, entitles you to the Love of your Countrymen; and your Confidence in me will make me impatient to meet so good an Assembly again.

And I desire you would adjourn yourselves from this Day to the first Tuesday in March next.

Resolved, That Stockadoes be got and brought together to repair the Fortifications of Albany and Schenectady, and that this House will pay for the getting and bringing the same to the Place, at such reasonable Rates as this House, upon Examination of the Accounts for that Service, shall think proper; and the Persons bringing those Accounts are to

take Notice in the Accounts so brought, of the Length and Bigness of the said Stockadoes, and the Length of Way carted; all which is to be made out upon Oath, that the House may be truly informed in that Matter.

And then the House adjourned themselves till the first Tuesday in March next ensuing, and they are adjourned accordingly.

Paris, Jan. 25. It is said the Duke of Bourbon has proposed to erect a Company which will undertake the General Farms for six Years, paying to the King 40 Millions per Annum, and 10 Millions by way of Advance. M. Nicolas, Banker of Paris, has likewise presented a Project to the Council, for the entire Extinction of Bank Notes after several gradual Diminutions, during which they shall be current in Payment; but we do not hear that these Proposals have been accepted. Three Ships belonging to the India Company, laden with Provisions and all sorts of Merchandize, are to sail the 1st of next Month from Port Louis for the Louisiane.

A certain Tradesman at Aix, is said to have cured many Persons of the Plague, by Means of a Girdle and of a Drink of his preparing, which the Government have ordered to be made publick, and design to reward the Author.

London, January 23.

On Saturday arrived a Mail from France.

Madrid, Jan. 14. Letters from Ceuta of the 3d Instant say, that the Moors make frequent Movements, as though they designed to attack our Army, particularly, they shewed themselves in the Field on that Day in the Morning, but at Two in the Afternoon they returned to their Camp, which has been considerably reinforced since the last Battle, and that likewise on the 3d Instant they were reinforced with 2000 Men.

It is reported, that our Cavalry will be ordered back into Spain, the Country being so very mountainous and craggy, they are almost wholly unerviceable in Africa; the Infantry and Dragoons being of chiefest Use, will continue there still, to observe the Motions of the Enemy: It is rumoured, that our whole Army in Africa may probably be ordered to return from thence in a little Time, notwithstanding their Successes.

Paris, Jan. 29. M. d'Argenson, Governour of Gap in Provence, has wrote to M. le Blanc, Secretary at War, informing him, that an Inhabitant of Pertuis had been to wait upon him to let him know he has found out an infallible Remedy for curing the Plague: For a Proof of what he advanced he desired that four of the most infected Persons might be sent for, to undergo the Experiment; four of the most infected were accordingly sent for, and were perfectly cured: The Remedy is contained in a Girdle, and composed of Quicksilver, Flower of Sulphur, and a few Simples, but what the Sorts are, the Person has not yet disclosed. The Governour enquired of him where he met with the first Discovery of the Remedy? The Person made Answer, That some time ago a German Soldier lodged in his House, who in Return for the Civilities and good Accommodation which he said were shewn him, he left that Receipt at his Departure; but many Years having passed since that Time, he had almost quite forgot where he had laid it, till the present Calamity of his Country made him reflect very much about it, and that after a great deal of searching he had found it among some old Papers. But notwithstanding the Fame of that Receipt, the mildness of the present Season of the Year makes us fear the Pestilence may be encreased by next Spring; for which reason it is reported that 15 Men out of each Company of the Regiment of Guards will be detached for securing the Passage of Provence.

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These are to give publick Notice, That the Justices of the Peace for the County of Middlesex, and City and Liberty of Westminster, having observed the great Increase of publick and common Gaming-Houses of late, and the very ill Consequences visibly attending the same, with respect to the Publick, have for Prevention thereof thought it necessary, and are determined to put in effectual Execution, all the Laws and Statutes in Force against keeping and maintaining publick and common Gaming-Houses, and all Persons haunting and resorting to them to play, and to proceed with the utmost Severity that by Law they can against all such Persons, and all High and Petty Constables, and other Officers who may be concerned, and who shall refuse or neglect to do their Duty in any the Premises, when thereunto lawfully required; this Notice is given to take away any Pretence of Ignorance or Misapprehension for the future.

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On the 20th Instant the two following Sheriffs were appointed for the Year ensuing, viz.

Dorset, John Meech, Esq;
Flinn, Robert Crompton, Esq;

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On Saturday South-Sea Stock. Book shut. First Subscription no Price. Second Subscription no Price. Third Subscription no Price. Fourth Subscription no Price. Bank 145 1 half. India, Books shut. African, Books shut. York Buildings 27 1 half, to 28 1 half. Royal Exchange Assurance 63 qrs. London Assurance 7 1 half.

African House, Jan. 21, 1720.

The Royal African Company of England give Notice, That one of the Annual General Courts will be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Thursday the 26th Instant, at 11 a-Clock in the Forenoon. N. B. There will be no Transfer on that Day.

In last Friday's Courant, in the Advertisement concerning Poppy-Oyl, for 12 s. read 12 d. per Bushel.

AT the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, on Wednesday next, being the 25th of January, will be perform'd an Opera, call'd, RADAMISTUS. The Tickets and Boxes to be put together, and no Person whatever to be admitted without Tickets, which will be deliver'd out To-morrow, at Mrs. White's Chocolate-house in St. James's-street, at Half a Guinea each. N. B. Four Hundred Tickets will be deliver'd out, and after they are disposed of, no Person whatsoever will be admitted for Money. A proper Officer will attend at each Door, to deliver every Subscriber his Ticket, without which he will not be admitted. No Persons are to be admitted behind the Scenes. Gallery 5 s. To begin exactly at Six.

By their Royal Highness's Command.
By His Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Monday, being the 23d of January, will be presented, A Comedy call'd, The Man of Mode: Or, Sir Fopling Flutter. The Part of Lovell by Mr. Oldfield, Sir Fopling Mr. Cibber, Dorimant Mr. Wilks, Medley Mr. Mills, Old Debauch Mr. Penckethman, Harriet Mrs. Booth, Belinda Mrs. Porter, Emilia Mrs. Younger, Pert Mrs. Bicknell.

By the Company of French Comedians.

AT the New Theatre (over-against the Opera-House) in the Hay-Market, this present Monday, being the 23d Day of January, will be presented, A Comedy, call'd, L'Honnête Naufraige. Never acted in England before. With its Original Decorations. Also several Entertainments of Dancing. Boxes 4 s. Pit 2 s. 6 d. Gallery 1 s. 6 d. To begin exactly at Six a-Clock.

If the Gentleman, who on Thursday the 21st Instant, gave by the Penny-Post a Hint to a certain Person, (his Letter beginning, Not being your Enemy) will add to his Kindness the Name of one, or both the Persons, of whose Names he has put no Letter; it shall be a perfect Secret, and serve only for his own Conduict; or if he will speak himself to the said Person, in Confidence, he shall never be discover'd, or brought into any Inconvenience by it. In the meantime, he is desired to accept of Thanks.

Lost from the Hon. Madam Cadogan's Side, on Friday last, a Gold Tweezer, with the Princess of Wales's Picture set in Gold, and two Gold Seals, one of them a Griffin's Head. Whoever brings those Things to his Excellency the Earl of Cadogan's, in Piccadilly, or to Mr. Bell, in the New-Exchange, shall have 10 Guineas Reward, and no Questions ask'd.

Lost on Monday Night the 16th Instant, about the End of St. James's-street, a Leather Pocket-Book, with several Papers and Bills, of no Use but to the Owner. Whoever will bring the said Pocket-book to Mr. Ozenda's Chocolate-House, near St. James's Gate; or to Mr. Williams, a Penivising-maker, two Doors above Pall-Mall Court, shall have 1 Guinea Reward, and no Questions ask'd. N. B. The Notes are of no Use, Payment being stop'd.

Just Published,

Dr. Bentley's Proposals for a New Edition of the Greek Testament and St. Hieron's Latin Version. With a full Answer to all the Remarks of a late Pamphleteer. By a Member of Trinity College in Cambridge.

Cursum Labor est Angles superare meum. Ovid.
Tollitremque Muzæ & Sibylla Colla cumentem Deijce. Virg.
Printed for J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-Yard.

Lost on Saturday the 21st Instant, a Red Letter-Cafe, on the outside (London) in Golden Square, which was several Notes, one Bank Note of 50 l. (on the Back with Alley) and one other Bank Note of 100 l. Whoever brings the said Cafe and Notes to Jonathan Wild in the Old Bailey, or to the Sun Tavern in Milk-street Market, shall receive 10 Guineas Reward, and no Questions asked, Payment being stop'd.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

On Thursday the 26th Instant, very rich Household Furniture, consisting of rich Atlas and Damask, with several other Beds and Bedding, Window Curtains, Chairs, fine Tapestry, the Story of Diogenes, Persia and other Carpets, eight India Japan Screens, Cabinets, Tables, large Looking-glasses, Scenery Pictures, a large parcel of China, a fine Table Clock plays 12 Tunes, Pewter and Brass, &c. The Goods, &c. to be seen at a great House the middle of Litchfield-street, near Soho, this Day, To-morrow, and Wednesday before the Sale. To begin at 11 in the Morning, and continue daily till all are sold. Catalogues to be had at the House. N. B. The House is to be Let.

This Day is Published,

The whole Proceedings at the Sessions House in the Old Bailey: With the compleat Tryals of Mary Taylor for the Murder of her Bastard Child; James Melton for the Murder of Thomas Lewis, both Drummers in the Guards; William Spigget, Thomas Phillips, alias Crofs, William Buttroughs and Thomas Butler for Robbing on the Highways, the two former whereof refusing to Plead, were Sentenc'd to be Pres'd to Death; William Robbins for committing a Rape on the Body of Mary Tabes a Girl of about Seven Years of Age; and William Bond formerly Transported for a Felony, for return again into this Kingdom: With several other remarkable Tryals. Printed for E. Matthews at the Bible in Pater-Noster-Row; and Sold by J. Roberts in Warwick-lane. Price 3 d.

Lately published, proper to be read in all great Schools, being the best Book extant for giving a true Notion of the Characters of the ancient Romans, and their Policy in the Conduct of their Affairs, both at home and abroad.

The History of the Revolutions that happen'd in the Government of the Roman Common-Wealth. Written in French by the Abbot de Vertot, Author of the celebrated Histories of the Revolutions of Sweden and Portugal. Translated from the Original by several Hands. Printed for R. Symon, the Corner of Pope's Head Alley in Cornhill.

In few Days will be Published,

The Chimera: A new Farce, as it is acted at the Theatre in Little Lincoln's-Inn-Fields. Written by M. de la Motte. Tho' such vile Rubbish sink, yet we shall rise.

Printed for T. Jaucy, at the Angel without Temple-Bar. Where may be had, the English Theatre, in 6 neat Pocket Volumes, being a compleat Collection of Tragedies and Comedies, by the most celebrated Wits of the last and present Age, viz. Mr. Otway, Mr. Southern, Mr. Farquhar, Mr. Cibber, Mr. Trap, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Sewell, Mr. Beckingham, &c. Price one Guinea.

In a few Days will be Published, the 3d Edition of, Geographia Classica: The Geography of the

Ancients, as far as is contained in the Greek and Latin Classics, in 29 Maps of the Old World and its several Kingdoms and Provinces: Wherein the chief Places mention'd in Homer, Virgil, Ovid, Lucan, Ennius, Cornelius Nepos, Justin, Quintus Curtius, Silius, Livy, Caesar, Plutarch, Xenophon, Herodotus, and many other Ancient Authors, are describ'd. To which is added, a Map of the Places mention'd in the Old and New Testaments. For the Use of Schools. Printed for Christopher Brown, and sold by the following Bookellers: Mr. Knapton, Mr. Knaplock, Mr. Wilkin, Mr. Tooke, Mr. Clark, Mr. Betworth, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Bowyer, Mr. Innes, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Osborn, Mr. King, and Mr. Nicks.

An infallible Cure for the Stone and Gravel, whether in the Reins or Bladder, by an incomparable Chymical Liquor, which in the most racking Pains gives instant ease, and perfectly frees the Patient from all pains in the back, and those pains so much like the Cholick; dilates the Urerers, makes them slippery, that small Stones and Gravel may pass from the Reins to be voided visibly with Urine, without pain, cleanses the Kidneys, Bladder, and all the Urinary passages from stony calculous Matter, certainly takes off all Heat, pains and stoppage of Urine, and absolutely breaks and dissolves all large Stones (possible to be dissolved) whether in the Kidneys or Bladder, from entirely to cure the Distemper; assuredly prevents the Stone in those that are troubled only with Gravel, and for all Disorders of the Reins and Bladder, cannot be parallel'd. Is sold only at Jacob's Coffee-house, against the Angel and Crown Tavern in Threadneedle-street, behind the Royal Exchange, at 2 s. 6 d. a Bottle, with Directions.

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The most Noble Volatile Smelling-Bottle in the World; which smell'd to, momentarily fetches the most distill fainting or swooning Fits, and in a moment removes Fluxions, vapours, Dullness, Head-ach, Megrims, &c. It takes off all heavy Sleeps, refreshes Swoonings, keeps up the Spirit to a Miracle, and by its use admits of no Fainting, but invigorates and enlivens the whole Person, recreates and makes cheerful, although never so sad, and in a Moment raises all the sensitive Faculties: It is also to be taken inwardly by Drops, which effectually takes off and cures the very Cause, for it powerfully relieves, comforts and strengthens the Brain, creates and corroborates a Stomach, removes Sickness from it, helps Digestion, cleanses the Blood, and in a Word, is the greatest Cephalick, Stomachick, Hepatick, and powerful Aromatick possible, therefore is extremely necessary for all Gentlemen, Ladies, &c. always to be carried in their Pockets. Sold only at Mr. King's Picture-shop in the Poultry, and at Mr. Overton's Picture-shop against St. Dunstons Church in Fleet-street, at 2 s. 6 d. each.